

NUCMC Catalog Record

Creator: Burwell, Andrew, 1841-1924.

Title: Andrew and Mary E. Burwell correspondence.

Date Created: 1864-1865.

Extent: 55 items.

Biographical Note: Farmer and Union soldier, of Marquette County, Wis.

Summary: Letters exchanged between Burwell and his wife, Mary E. (Swannell) Burwell, during Burwell's Civil War service with 5th Wisconsin Infantry Regiment. Burwell's letters include descriptions of camp life, role of the chaplain in his company, action during the siege of Petersburg, Va., and his hospitalization at City Point, Va., and later Washington, D.C. Mrs. Burwell's letters describe life on the home front and women's activities during the war.

Subjects:

Chaplains, Military.

United States—History—Civil War, 1861-1865—Medical care.

United States—History—Civil War, 1861-1865—Women.

Wisconsin—History—Civil War, 1861-1865.

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